# Housing at Monn School of Medicine

While UConn Health does not offer dedicated student housing, we understand the importance of finding a place that suits your needs during medical school.

#### **Housing Timeline:**

We know finding housing is a priority, but many leases for next fall won't be available until May or June. To stay ahead, consider these steps:

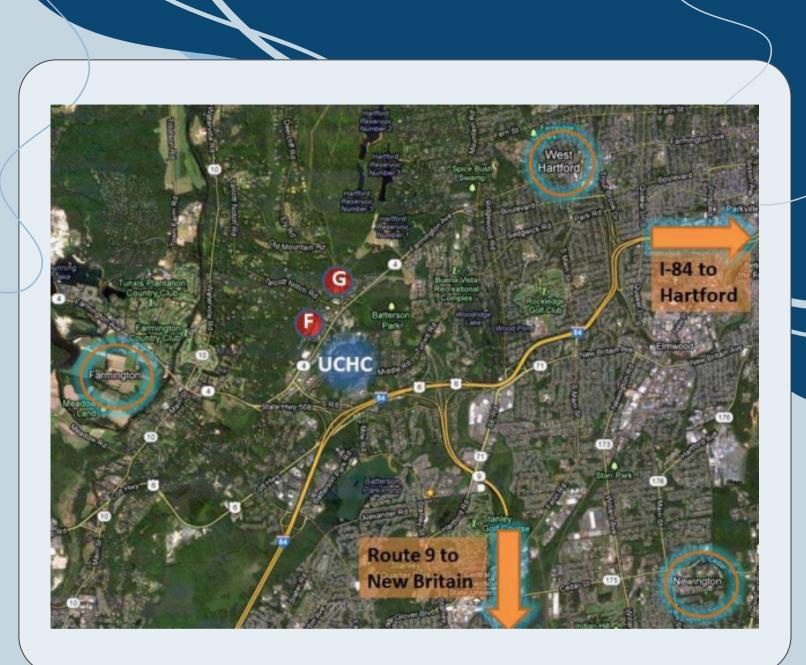
- Start early and plan ahead.
- Decide whether to live with family, a partner, roommates, or alone.
- Research nearby locations.
- Contact landlords about lease timeframes.

# Housing Resources for Incoming Students:

- UConn Graduate Student Google Group: Connect with fellow students to find roommates, available rooms, and more. These are not reviewed or sponsored by UConn so proceed with caution on some advertisements.
  http://groups.google.com/group/UConn-Med-Dental-and-Grad-Housing
- **UConn SOM 2029 Facebook group**: Ask current students questions and find roommates.
- **UConn Health bulletin boards**: Located on the main floor, between the bookstore and cafeteria check for available listings.
- **Craigslist, apartments.com (realtors post), rent.com**: Explore online listings directly from landlords and realtors for rental opportunities.

## Where to live?

- Close by
  - The Forest at Farmington, Talcott Glen, and The Ridge at Talcott Notch, Up House, The Croft
    - Convenient: shuttles pick up behind the Exchange, just a 5-15 min. walk to campus
    - Social environment: many UConn students live here
    - Individual owners: 1-4 bedrooms available, landlord-specific
    - Rent: \$1200 \$2500 per month (cheaper with more roommates)
- In the city (West Hartford & Hartford)
  - Eagle Rock Apartments, Brookside Apartments
    - Nightlife: West Hartford Center, Blueback Square, Downtown Hartford
    - Amenities: Close to two major clinical rotation sites in Hartford
- Suburban living (Farmington, Avon, New Britain, Newington, and other surrounding towns)
  - Short drive to UConn Health
  - Potentially cheaper housing options if you are open to commuting



### Additional comments:

Each living arrangement and location has its pros and cons, but you'll have the support of both the school and current students to help guide your decision.

- **Timing**: The best time to find rental housing is 1–2 months before your lease begins, but it's helpful to start researching earlier.
- **Options**: Some may choose to buy or live with family to save money.
- Current first year students will be ending leases as well.